GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION
LOK SABHA

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FOREIGN TRAINING ASSIGNMENTS TO SCS/STS
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Will the Minister of URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government nominate depute officers/personnel belonging to various ranks/grades for training to the reputed foreign institutions and for posts/ assignments on foreign deputation in pursuance to various schemes;

(b) if so, the number of officers sent abroad for both the short term and long term training courses abroad during the last three years, year-wise;

(c) the number of officers belonging to the SC/STcategories sent abroad for the said training and their percentage as compared to the total number;

(d) whether adequate number of SC/ST officers have not been nominated for the said training; and

(e) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b)&(c): The information in respect of Ministry of Urban Development and Poverty Alleviation, except Delhi Development Authority, is as under :

Year	Total Number of officers	SC/ST among them	Percentage
1997	43	1	2.3
1998	50	3	6
1999	53	3	5.6

The information in respect of Delhi Development Authority and other Ministries/Departments is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

(d)&(e): The nomination for training course is done on the basis of seniority, technical qualifications, age restriction and relevant experience required by the course conducting country. This criteria has been followed for the nomination uniformally for SC/ST as well as other officers. The selection of the candidates finally depends upon the course conducting institution.